

the Amount of Gases and make him Drink Much More Water and Fatten Faster. * * * Twelve: We guarantee and Agree to refund In Cash, to the user The Full Purchase Price paid For All Sal-Tonik that has been fed to horses cattle, sheep and hogs that die of Any Disease While Being Fed Sal-Tonik according to the printed directions below. * * * Worms, * * * Abortion, Bloating, Corn Stalk Disease, Necrotic Enteritis, Bones, Physics, Tonics * * * More fat more Milk," (cut of figures on which are the following words, "Death," "Disease," "Agony," "Sickness," "Worms," "Indigestion," "Cholera," "Constipation"), (cut of animals under the heading "The Bloating Way," containing the following words, "Dying," "Dead," "Bloating"), and (cut of animals under the heading "The Sal-Tonik Way," containing the words, "Protected," "Safe," "Satisfied"), were false and fraudulent in that the article contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed and in that the said statements were applied to the article knowingly and in reckless and wanton disregard of their truth or falsity, so as to represent falsely and fraudulently to purchasers thereof and create in the minds of such purchasers the impression and belief that it was composed of or contained ingredients or medicinal agents effective in the diseases and conditions named therein.

On August 13, 1929, the Farmers Elevator Co., Lewistown, Mont., having appeared as claimant for the property, judgment of condemnation was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be released to the said claimant upon payment of costs and the execution of a bond in the sum of \$750, conditioned in part that it be relabeled to the satisfaction of this department.

R. W. DUNLAP, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

16794. Misbranding of Dionol. U. S. v. 4 Dozen Packages of Dionol. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23369. I. S. No. 04122. S. No. 1535.)

On February 5, 1929, the United States attorney for the District of Columbia, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the Supreme Court of the district aforesaid, holding a District Court, a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 4 dozen packages of Dionol, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Washington, D. C., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Dionol Co., from Detroit, Mich., on or about January 14, 1929, and transported from the State of Michigan into the District of Columbia, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis of a sample of the article by this department showed that it consisted of white petrolatum.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in that the following statements regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the said article, (carton) "Localized inflammations such as hemorrhoids * * * infections, * * * inflammatory throat and lung conditions, etc.," (circular) "For local inflammation in and all parts of the body. * * * General Directions: * * * In severe cases with high inflammation, apply fresh ointment every few hours, after removing the ointment previously applied, with clean gauze. On ulcerated surfaces, gauze may be interposed between the flesh and the cotton. Important— * * * In throat and lung diseases and where otherwise indicated, a small quantity of plain Dionol may be given internally. * * * Dionol is indicated wherever localized inflammation is present and especially in the following conditions: Infected Wounds, Ulcers * * * Endometritis, Pelvic Congestions, Pneumonia-Influenza, Throat and Lung Troubles, Inflammatory Skin Troubles, Glandular Swellings, Obstetric Complications, Hemorrhoids * * * Neuritis. Wounds—1. If Dionol is applied to a wound from which the visible dirt has been removed before the inflammation occurs, it will prevent the onset of acute inflammation. If there is severe destruction of the tissues, cutting off the nerve and blood supply, the tissues thus deprived will of course die, but there will be no further spread of the inflammation. Ulcers In General—Dionol is very effective in ulcerous conditions generally. Indolent ulcers and varicose ulcers yield readily under its use. In the case of the so-called chronic or obstinate ulcers of long standing, the element of local inflammation has had added to it another which produces considerable induration of the tissues and is responsible for failure to respond to ordinary methods. * * * It is also noted that in chronic cases, where there is considerable induration, the primary applications of Dionol may be followed by pain and soreness in the region. This is due to the overcoming of the stasis; the old and

partially atrophied blood vessels and tissues are being filled with new blood. * * * Periostritis, Felons, Boils, Abscesses, Carbuncles, Swollen Glands, Peritonitis—in these conditions and wherever local inflammation is present, marked results will quickly follow the use of Dionol applied as per general directions. * * * This prescription—the suggestion of a nasal specialist, is exceptionally effective in * * * catarrhal stenosis, etc., etc. It is particularly effective in herpes facialis ('cold sores,' 'fever blisters') * * * Dionol For Pelvic Congestions and Orificial Uses * * * Piles—Apply Dionol externally. Also inject it by means of the rectal pipe, retaining the Dionol all night. Also after stool, when convenient. Urethral Irritation in Women—Apply Dionol Ointment locally over the vulva and inject a small amount directly into the urethra. The pile pipe accompanying the Dionol tube may be used for this purpose. Endometritis—Apply 2 drams Dionol on tampon. Retain 24 hours. Remove and follow with douche of plain warm water. Repeat daily long as necessary. Apply Dionol externally over abdomen nightly. * * * The two important factors to be remembered in administering Dionol treatment are to bring the ointment into contact with the affected area and keep the applications as nearly continuous as possible," were false and fraudulent in that the article contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed, and in that the said statements were applied to the article knowingly and in reckless and wanton disregard of their truth or falsity, so as to represent falsely and fraudulently to purchasers thereof and create in the minds of such purchasers the impression and belief that it was effective in the diseases and conditions named therein.

On August 19, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

R. W. DUNLAP, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

16795. Misbranding of Vapomentha salve. U. S. v. 11½ Dozen Jars of Vapomentha Salve. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23825. I. S. No. 03746. S. No. 1999.)

On June 19, 1929, the United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 11½ dozen jars of Vapomentha salve, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New York, N. Y., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Rox Chemical Co., from Louisville, Ky., on or about April 20, 1927, and transported from the State of Kentucky into the State of New York, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis of a sample of the article by this department showed that it consisted essentially of a petrolatum base, turpentine oil, and volatile oils including camphor, menthol, and eucalyptus oils.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in that the following statements regarding the curative or therapeutic effects of the said article, (cap on jar) "For Croup and Pneumonia," (jar label) "For Croup and Pneumonia * * * for Sore Throat, Tonsillitis, Coughs * * * Etc. Use as for Croup for Catarrh, Hay Fever, Bronchitis * * * Whooping Cough, Asthma, Influenza and La Grippe—Insert a small amount * * * up each nostril * * * inhale the vapor. For Piles * * * For Croup.—Apply Vapomentha to chest and throat, rubbing in well * * * Leave the covering loose around the neck, so that * * * Vapors * * * may be fully inhaled. In severe cases where the child is choking, heat some in spoon, and let child inhale the vapor. For Pneumonia.—Apply Vapomentha over the side and chest * * * spread on hot flannel and put on chest; so that patient can breathe the fumes. * * * Bites of all other poisonous Insects," (carton) "For Croup and Pneumonia * * * A * * * quick remedy and preventive for these certain and dangerous diseases, * * * and all affections of the Throat and Lungs * * * For Croup and Pneumonia * * * instant relief for Croup, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, * * * Asthma, Muscular Rheumatism * * * Piles, * * * Inflammation of the Skin and Muscles. Useful for all kinds of Sores, * * * Eczema, * * * Sore Throat, Earache, Toothache, Headache, Neuralgia, Etc. * * * Vital Statistics. The North Carolina State Board of Health states that 40% of the deaths of children could be prevented. Be prepared to save the life of your little one by having on hand at all times a bottle of Brame's Vapomentha Salve which not only prevents but relieves Croup and Pneumonia, Colds and